

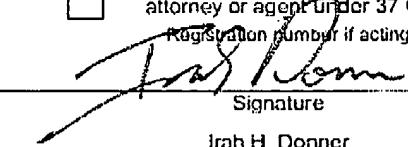
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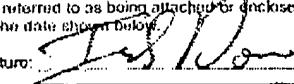
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Application Number  For AUTOMATED CONTAINER BULKING SYSTEM AND METHOD OPTIONAL INTEGRATED WITH AUTOMATED DISPENSING SYSTEM AND/OR AUTOMATED LABELING AND PACKAGING SYSTEM		Filed  August 6, 2003																		
Art Unit  3721		Examiner  H. Desai																		
<p>This is a request under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a) to extend the period for filing a reply in the above identified application.</p> <p>The requested extension and fee are as follows (check time period desired and enter the appropriate fee below):</p> <table border="1"> <thead> <tr> <th></th> <th>Fee</th> <th>Small Entity Fee</th> </tr> </thead> <tbody> <tr> <td><input checked="" type="checkbox"/> One month (37 CFR 1.17(a)(1))</td> <td>\$120</td> <td>\$60</td> </tr> <tr> <td><input type="checkbox"/> Two months (37 CFR 1.17(a)(2))</td> <td>\$450</td> <td>\$225</td> </tr> <tr> <td><input type="checkbox"/> Three months (37 CFR 1.17(a)(3))</td> <td>\$1020</td> <td>\$510</td> </tr> <tr> <td><input type="checkbox"/> Four months (37 CFR 1.17(a)(4))</td> <td>\$1590</td> <td>\$795</td> </tr> <tr> <td><input type="checkbox"/> Five months (37 CFR 1.17(a)(5))</td> <td>\$2160</td> <td>\$1080</td> </tr> </tbody> </table> <p><input type="checkbox"/> Applicant claims small entity status. See 37 CFR 1.27.</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> A check in the amount of the fee is enclosed.</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> Payment by credit card. Form PTO-2038 is attached.</p> <p><input checked="" type="checkbox"/> The Director has already been authorized to charge fees in this application to a Deposit Account.</p> <p><input checked="" type="checkbox"/> The Director is hereby authorized to charge any fees which may be required, or credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account Number <u>08-0219</u>. I have enclosed a duplicate copy of this sheet.</p>				Fee	Small Entity Fee	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> One month (37 CFR 1.17(a)(1))	\$120	\$60	<input type="checkbox"/> Two months (37 CFR 1.17(a)(2))	\$450	\$225	<input type="checkbox"/> Three months (37 CFR 1.17(a)(3))	\$1020	\$510	<input type="checkbox"/> Four months (37 CFR 1.17(a)(4))	\$1590	\$795	<input type="checkbox"/> Five months (37 CFR 1.17(a)(5))	\$2160	\$1080
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Application Number	10/634992-Conf. #7424
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First Named Inventor	James G. MCERLEAN
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Application Type	FILING FEES		SEARCH FEES		EXAMINATION FEES	
	Fee (\$)	Small Entity	Fee (\$)	Small Entity	Fee (\$)	Small Entity
Utility	300	150	500	250	200	100
Design	200	100	100	50	130	65
Plant	200	100	300	150	160	80
Reissue	300	150	500	250	600	300
Provisional	200	100	0	0	0	0

**2. EXCESS CLAIM FEES****Fee Description**

Each claim over 20 (including Reissues)

Fee (\$)	Small Entity
50	25
200	100
360	180

Each independent claim over 3 (including Reissues)

Multiple dependent claims

Total Claims	Extra Claims	Fee (\$)	Fee Paid (\$)	Multiple Dependent Claims	Fee (\$)	Fee Paid (\$)
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